

STATE OF NEW YORK

LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY

BUFFALO, N.Y., JULY 30TH, 2015 A.D.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That at a regular session of the Legislature of Erie County, held in the County Hall, in the City of Buffalo, on the 30th day of July, 2015 A.D., a resolution was adopted, of which the following is a true copy:

WHEREAS, The Erie County Legislature seeks to honor individuals and institutions of Erie County who enhance the quality of life in the community through their efforts; and

WHEREAS, Marilyn J. Kasperek is a lifelong resident of the Town of Newstead, and the fifth generation to live in the Downey Homestead on Downey Road; and

WHEREAS, Marilyn J. Kasperek is the mother of three daughters: Karlyn, Alison, and Sarah, and has seven grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Marilyn J. Kasperek is a member of the Akron First United Methodist Church, where she is on staff, founding member of the C Dee Wright Community Ministry Center, and has recently received her Masters of Divinity Degree from United Theological Seminary; and

WHEREAS, Marilyn J. Kasperek founded Akron's local newspaper Akron Bugle in 1981, where she remains publisher today; and

WHEREAS, Marilyn J. Kasperek has been a member of the Akron Community Band for fifty seasons, where she played principal flute and piccolo for many years, and has held the office of secretary, treasurer, vice-president, president, trustee, and is currently the public relations and trustee emeritus; and

WHEREAS, on August 7, 2015, the Akron Community Band will recognize Marilyn J. Kasperek for her 50th Season with them; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, the Erie County Legislature pauses in its deliberations to recognize and acknowledge

MARILYN J. KASPEREK

on her 50th Season with the Akron Community Band.

Edward A. Rath, III

Erie County Legislator, 6th District

Karen M. McCarthy

Clerk of the Erie County Legislature